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PRESS RELEASE

PHILADELPHIA – United States Attorney Patrick L. Meehan today announced the filing of a superseding indictment¹ against Hassan Wilcox, a/ka/ “Chop,” charging him with one count of knowingly and intentionally possessing with intent to distribute 500 grams or more, that is 1,100 grams, of cocaine (powder), within 1,000 feet of a school, in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 860; and a notice of forfeiture pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 853. This charge arises from the seizure of approximately 1100 grams of cocaine powder from a cereal box in the car that the defendant was driving in the 5000 block of North Eighth Street, in Philadelphia, PA. on September 1, 2005.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANT

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE
Hassan Wilcox, a/k/a “Chop”	Street Philadelphia, PA.	28 years old

If convicted the defendant faces a maximum possible sentence of lifetime imprisonment, a mandatory minimum period of 10 years incarceration, at least an 16 year period up to a lifetime period of supervised release, a fine of \$8,000,000 and a special assessment of \$100.

The case was investigated by **Drug Enforcement Administration and the Philadelphia Police Department** and has been assigned to **Curtis R. Douglas**.

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¹ An indictment or information is an accusation. A defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty.